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October 21, 2004

Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
State of Louisiana  
Post Office Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

**WM. TIMOTHY ALLEN, III**  
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RE: HEARING APPLICATION  
CV D RA SUK  
South Drew Field  
Ouachita Parish, Louisiana  
Our File No. 450484.0006

Dear Sir:

On behalf of WEISER-BROWN OPERATING COMPANY, application is hereby made for a public hearing to receive evidence concerning the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Cotton Valley D Zone, Reservoir A, in the South Drew Field, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana:

1. To redefine the Cotton Valley D Zone, Reservoir A, INSOFAR AND ONLY INSOFAR AS TO CV D RA SUK, as that gas and condensate bearing zone occurring between the depths of 9165 feet and 9235 feet (electric log measurements) in the Gerard-Franks-Arkla-Calloway No. 1 Well, located in Section 27, Township 18 North, Range 2 East, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.
2. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to confirm and continue CV D RA SUK in full force and effect.
3. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Cotton Valley D Zone, Reservoir A, in the South Drew Field, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 904-A, effective March 22, 1973, but shall be redefined as set forth above.

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Pertinent data concerning the intended application will be made available for inspection at the offices of the undersigned. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call the undersigned at (318) 221-6858 during normal business hours or write the undersigned at the above address in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

A list of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (as defined in the Rules of Procedure) is attached hereto, and a copy of this notice is being sent to each of such persons. A reasonable effort has been made to determine that the enclosed list includes all of the persons to whom this notice must be sent under the Rules of Procedure.

By Pre-Application Notice dated October 5, 2004, applicant advised the Commissioner of Conservation, the District Manager and all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties of applicant's intention to apply for the hearing which is the subject of this application. Applicant received no request for a conference, and accordingly, no conference will be held.


A check in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Commissioner of Conservation is enclosed herewith as the statutory fee for holding the requested hearing.

This application is being filed in duplicate, and a copy hereof is being sent to Mr. Clarence Chandler, Monroe District Manager of the Office of Conservation and to each Interested Owner, Represented Party and Interested Party whose name is shown on the attached list.

Very truly yours,

BLANCHARD, WALKER, O'QUIN & ROBERTS

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Enclosures

By:   
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Attorneys for Weiser-Brown Operating Company

cc: Mr. Clarence Chandler, Monroe District Manager,  
Office of Conservation (w/enclosures)  
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties  
and Interested Parties